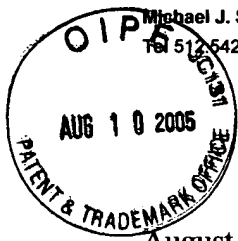


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Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following:

1. Response to Office Action dated June 8, 2005;
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